

ORDINANCE NO. 5686

**AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FREE PARKING AT CERTAIN TIMES
IN THE LEASED PARKING ZONE BY AMENDING
SUBSECTION 10.44.010(C) OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE**

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City has established parking zones in the downtown area of the City in Section 10.44.010 of the Rapid City Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the Leased Parking Zone created by Subsection 10.44.010(C) contains a complete prohibition against parking without a valid leased parking permit; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City does not enforce this prohibition 24 hours per day, seven days per week; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rapid City finds that it is in the best interests of the City to codify the hours when permits are required to park in the Leased Parking Zone and the hours where parking is free to the public.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that Subsection 10.44.010(C) of the Rapid City Municipal Code shall be amended to read as follows:

C. *Leased parking zone.* This zone includes the off-street parking lot located north of the alley upon Lots 1 through 6 and 2 feet of Lot 7, of Block 82 of the original townsite; the off-street parking lot located north of the alley upon Lots 10 through 16 of Block 74 of the original townsite; the off-street parking lot located south of the alley upon Lots 17 through 21 of Block 104 of the original townsite; and the off-street parking lot located upon Lots 1 through 7, the east 8 feet of Lot 8, the south 28 feet of Lot 9 and the south 68 feet of Lots 10 through 14, of Block 95 of the original townsite. Lots 1-16, Block 75 of the original townsite and Lots 21-28, Block 86, original townsite. It is unlawful to park in any leased parking space without visibly displaying a valid leased parking permit Monday through Friday from the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., excluding holidays. Parking in this zone at all other times shall be free and open to the public. Any person who operates a vehicle found in violation of this section shall, within 72 hours from the time when the notice of violation was attached to such vehicle, pay to the city Finance Office, as a penalty for and in full satisfaction of such violation, the sum of \$25. If the person fails to pay the sum within the 72 hours, he or she shall, within 2 weeks from the 72-hour period, pay to the city Finance Office, as a penalty for and in full satisfaction of the violation, the additional sum of \$10.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

Mayor

ATTEST:

Finance Officer

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